

# Notice of Exemption

# Appendix E

**To:** Office of Planning and Research  
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**From:** (Public Agency): CA Dept. of Transportation (Caltrans)  
1976 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd.  
Stockton CA 95205

County Clerk  
 County of: \_\_\_\_\_  
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(Address)

Project Title: Repair old Transportation Management System

Project Applicant: Catrans

Project Location - Specific:

**10-MPA-49/132/140 AMA-16/49/88/104/124 TUO-108**

Project Location - City: \_\_\_\_\_ Project Location - County: MPA, AMA, TUO

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

This project proposes to replace and repair damaged, obsolete, and nonoperational Vehicle Detection Stations (VDS) in Amador, Mariposa and Tuolumne counties on State Routes (SR) 16, 49, 88, 104, 108, 124, 132 and 140 at various locations. The escalated Construction Capital for this project is \$2,113,000, and the escalated Right-of-Way capital is \$0. This project is programmed in the 2022 State Highway Operations and Protection Program (SHOPP) for funding from the Transportation Management Systems (TMS) (201.315) program for delivery in the 2024/25 Fiscal

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Caltrans

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Caltrans

Exempt Status: **(check one):**

- Ministerial (Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268);
- Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080(b)(3); 15269(a));
- Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c));
- Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: Class 1 (d) Existing highways Improvement
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: \_\_\_\_\_

Reasons why project is exempt:

This project is exempt under the Categorical Exemption Class 1 (d), Restoration or rehabilitation of deteriorated or damaged structures, facilities, or mechanical equipment to meet current standards of public health and safety, unless it is determined that the damage was substantial and resulted from an environmental hazard such as earthquake, landslide, or flood;

Lead Agency  
 Contact Person: Massihullah Mahboob Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (209) 471-8359

**If filed by applicant:**

1. Attach certified document of exemption finding.
2. Has a Notice of Exemption been filed by the public agency approving the project? Yes No

Signature: Laura M. Cook Date: 12/13/2023 Title: Sen Environmental Scientist

▪ Signed by Lead Agency      Signed by Applicant

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code.  
 Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.

Date Received for filing at OPR: \_\_\_\_\_